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A SENSIBLE SUGGESTION.

The last annual report of the Ottawa Board of Trade contains the following very sensible proposition:—

"As an integral portion of the British Empire, Canada furnishes the readiest market for the sale of British manufactures and the most profitable field for the investment of British capital, both these operations would necessarily attract the surplus population of that country to fill the unoccupied acres of wild land in the Provinces, where ample scope will be afforded for agricultural skill and development, and a ready means provided to lessen the evils of pauperism at home. The most obvious way to effect this object would be, that the Imperial Government should give to the Canadian Government £40 sterling per head for each and every able bodied man, woman and child unable, for want of resources, to emigrate, but willing to do so, which the Provincial agents would choose. The object would be to form a fund by which the comfortable transit of the parties could be assumed, and public works necessary for their immediate employment carried on, the Canadian Government agreeing to give the emigrant three year's employment, and at the conclusion of the time to give each man a free deed of 100 acres of land, and the balance head money, without interest, deducting therefrom the cost of transport and outfit, into a small sum for management. Or the Imperial Government should lend the Canadian Government, with sufficient time to repay, sufficient money to build the following Imperial works, viz. The Ottawa Canals connecting the St. Lawrence and Lake Huron by way of the Ottawa river; the St. Lawrence Canals and Welland Canal, to be enlarged; two links of railway—from Fort William and Lake Superior to Fort Garry (400 miles), and from the mouth of Fraser River, on the Pacific, to the head of the navigable water on the Saskatchewan (450miles); total, 850 miles. The necessary improvement of 1,700 miles of navigable water on Rainy Lake, Red River, and the Saskatchewan. Those works would give employment to 50,000 men per annum for the next twelve years and would involve the expenditure of probably £50,000,000 sterling; which divided over the time, would be say, £4,250,000, the cost of 50,000 paupers at 840. per annum, would be £2,000,000 per annum. It is not necessary to take more than two years into account, as the works would be prosecuted after the first year directly from the moment they were undertaken. It is evident that the advantage would be altogether on the part of the British people, relieving them of 93 per cent of actual outlay, and of 50,000 paupers annually without taking families into account.

The New York *Tribune* having called G. F. Train a politician, George Francis indignantly writes that journal: "After the Cassius M. Clay debate, you called me a 'Charlatan,' and 'Mountebank;' while in a British bastile, an 'Ass and a Lunatic;' but this is the first time you have passed the insult direct by calling me a 'politician! The *Tribune* makes the *amende honourable*, saying "there is a sense in which he is not a politician—that is, in the sense in which Hamilton and Jefferson Clay and Calhoun, were politicians."

The *Tidal Wave* (Silver City, Idaho,) has a racy letter from Washington City, March 7, beginning with, 'Exit a party by the name of Johnson,' said the *Tribune* the morning of the 4th and Greeley was right. A. J. is simply A. J.—no more. Hail and farewell old maggoty-nosed nobody! old patchwork of political intestines, spiced with tobacco, scented with rot-gut and done up in veto papers, and farewell speeches about me, I and my policy!"

Among the members of the British Parliament who have been unseated on account of bribery in the elections is Mr. Alexander W. Cinglake, the historian of the Crimean war. The Judges exonerate Mr. Kinglake personally, but it seems that his friends wer so anxious to have him enjoy the honor of a Parliamentary seat that they used questionable means for influencing votes.

He is the hardest labourer who drives the brain only; and he is the most reasonable worker who judiciously divides the responsibilities and duties of life between brain and muscle.

New Advertisements.

WANTED

A YOUNG Girl for general House-work Enquire of Mrs. Zinke, opposite the Alhambra, Yates Street.

Victoria, April 8th, 1869. ap9

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The lowest or any tender not necessarily accepted.

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ADAMS & BEAVAN,
A. McLEAN & CO.,
A GILMORE,
LEWIS LEWIS,
A. BULER & CO.,
JNO. Q. HEWLINGS,
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VICTORIA, 9th April, 1869. ap10

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Good Accommodations for Single Persons and Families.

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Early in May,

200 choice Pot Plants in bloom,

CONSISTING OF: Red, White, and Crimson Moss, Persian, and Austrian Yellow, Hybrid Bourbon, Tea Scented, Damask and other Perpetual Flowering ROSES; Peonies; Lemon Scented Verbena; Japan Lilies; Acacias; Fuschias; Cinerarias; Calceolorias; Scarlet Geraniums; Pelargoniums; Evergreens; Stocks; Heliotropes; Verbenas, &c., &c., &c.

MOSS STREET NURSERY. ap17

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In Re W. Huxtable, Grocer, &c.

ALL Debts due to the above Estate must be paid to the undersigned forthwith, who alone is authorized to give a receipt for the same.

☞ By order of the Trade Assignees,

J. G. NORRIS.
Victoria, April 20th, 1869. ap21

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For Sale,

By the sole Agent in BRITISH COLUMBIA,

THOMAS LETT STAHLSCHMIDT,
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Meat of the best description always on hand.

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The Rooms are spacious and Comfortably Furnished and the TERMS MODERATE.

Under the management of

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THE HALF WAY HOUSE,

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Good Beds

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☞ **There are Boats on Prospect and Beaver Lakes for the use of parties frequenting above house, free of charge.**

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Additions to J. P. Davies' Auctions, Saturday and Monday.

The British Columbian.

THURSDAY, APRIL 29, 1869.

THE BARCLAY SOUND TRAGEDY.

While distinctly disclaiming any desire to unnecessarily blame or embarass the Executive, or work upon the feelings of the public, a sense of duty and responsibility compels us to revert to the painful subject of the presumed fate of the Captain and crew of the ill-fated "John Bright." Mr. Franks, the partner of Mr. Spring, who has been engaged for years in trading with the Indians in that part, who understands their language, and their habits, who knows the various tribes, encampments and even individuals, who, in a word, is thoroughly familiar with the whole subject matter, gives an account of this affair which is entitled to the greatest consideration. It is only proper to state that both Franks and Spring are esteemed truthful and reliable men, by those who have known them for years; nor have they ever, during their long experience in the Indian trade, introduced the article of "fire-water," or "pire-chuck," as it is called here, amongst the natives. We mention these circumstances to meet the objections and remarks made by some. Mr. Franks makes a statement, substantially as follows:—The Captain of the "John Bright," together with his wife and crew, succeeded in reaching the shore in a small boat. They landed in the vicinity of an Indian encampment, in a condition of extreme exhaustion. Two Indians seized the Captain and his wife, the crew escaping into the woods. These two Indians killed the Captain, violated and abused, in the most brutal manner, the person of his wife, and then murdered her. Subsequently, in conjunction with four other Indians, they hunted up and murdered the whole crew. This information Franks obtained from the neighbouring Indians, who were jealous of those into whose hands the plunder had fallen, and the statement received melancholy corroboration from the headless human trunks which he saw with his own eyes. Mr. Franks has not, *cannot* have, the slightest doubt about the correctness of the information thus obtained; and he says that, not only in the interest of justice, but for the safety of all who may be hereafter thrown into contact with these Indians, it is of the highest importance that the affair should be thoroughly investigated and condign punishment meted out to the guilty parties. Already have these Indians become markedly insolent, under the obvious impression that they can perpetrate such atrocities with perfect impunity; and there, unhappily would appear to be too much ground for such an impression. We are sorry to say that we are not aware, up to the present moment, of any orders having been issued, or arrangements made for the Sparrowhawk, or any other vessel of war, or of peace, to proceed to the scene of this brutal outrage, the reiterated assertions of the Press to the contrary notwithstanding. That the fault of this unaccountable and, to our mind, unpardonable hesitation must be shared by the Governor and his advisers we are disposed to believe; for we cannot permit ourselves to think that a proper requisition made upon the Naval Officer in command of this station would be disobeyed. It has been said by those high in office that this is an Imperial question. How else is Imperial power brought to bear in such cases but through its local representatives? If it be held to be an Imperial question, in that sense which would leave the Colonial authorities no power for prompt action, then the whole thing is a pitiful farce, to be *laughed* at by blood-thirsty savages and *blushed* at by British subjects. One feels all the more puzzled to account for the Governor's hesitency upon the present occasion when one calls to mind the remarkable promptitude and energy displayed by him upon the occasion of the Bute Inlet massacre, in the Spring of 1864. It will be remembered how His Excellency organized a strong party with the utmost dispatch, and, regardless of discomfort and danger, accompanied it up the coast and overland, through the most inhospitable and least known part of the Colony, thereby exciting the admiration and raising the hopes of the Colonists. We again venture respectfully but earnestly to urge upon the Executive the necessity that exists for the most prompt and energetic action. Let the Sparrowhawk be despatched with a Magistrate, provided with a good interpreter (Mr. Franks would be just the man) with power to investigate the whole affair, and, if the guilty ones be secured, with power to *make an example of them upon the spot!* Unless some such measures be taken, and taken at once, the most serious consequences must follow. If the properly constituted authorities will still refuse to do their duty in this matter, it is not impossible, from all we can learn, that an incensed people will take the law into their own hands and organize a volunteer party—for there are plenty eager to volunteer—and proceed to the spot, to deal out, perhaps, less discrimination justice to these blood-thirsty "red-skins," a measure the necessity for which every good citizen would deplore.

New Advertisements.

NORTH PACIFIC

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THE Townsite of SOUTH SEATTLE having been laid out, Mr. J. Moss, the owner thereof, may be found at Mr. Heisterman's Office, to dispose of such Lots as are still unsold.

The new Town fronts on **SEATTLE BAY**, and a large number of Blocks have already been sold.

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An efficient Quadrille Band will accompany the excursion.

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THIS fine first class Hotel has superior accommodations, possessing advantages for Families unequalled by any on this Coast.

THE HOUSE HAS BEEN PLACED IN

Thorough repair and refurnished.

The Table

Is supplied with every delicacy the market affords.

Suites of Rooms for Families.
Single Rooms for Gentlemen.

JOHN J. JACOBS,
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MEMORANDUM OF AGREEMENT.

SUPREME COURT, Vancouver Island,
Registrar's Office.

A MEMORANDUM of Agreement, bearing date the 30th of March, 1869, between Morris Dobrin, of Victoria, V. I., debtor of the first part, James Burns and George James Findlay, of Victoria, V. I., Merchants, Trustees on behalf of the creditors of the said Morris Dobrin, of the second part, and the undersigned creditors of the said Morris Dobrin of the third part, the said creditors agree to accept fifty-five cents to the dollar in full satisfaction of their claims, to be paid and secured in the manner set forth in said agreement on the payment of the said fifty-five cents in the dollar, the said creditors are to release and discharge the said Morris Dobrin from all debts, dues and demands due and oweing to the said creditors, on the fulfilment of said agreement, was, on the 19th day of April, 1869, and at the hour of 2 o'clock, p. m., brought into my office for Registration, and was duly Registered by me, pursuant to the Bankruptcy Act, 1862.

Dated this 19th day of April, 1869.

RICHARD WOODS,
ap21 Acting Registrar.

New Advertisements.

LONDON HOUSE,

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(MARCH, 1869.)

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Silks,
Shawls,
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Sheetings,
Shirtings,
Blankets,
Flannels,
Curtains,
Carpets,
Rugs,
Mats,
Cloths,
Hosiery,
Gloves,
Underclothing,
Baby Linen,
Lace Goods,
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Hats,
Bonnets,
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Feathers,

very large assortment of

FANCY GOODS,

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Fresh supplies to arrive each Steamer.
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LUMLEY FRANKLIN

WILL HOLD HIS

Weekly Sale

.....OF.....

GENERAL MERCHANDISE

THIS DAY,

Thursday, April 29,

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AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.,

When he will offer a full assortment of

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An Invoice of Clothing.

English, American and French Suits, Cassimere, Satinette and other Pants, various Styles,
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Shirts: Baltic and White,
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.....ALSO—

Drilling and Cotton Goods.

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.....ALSO.....

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Tobacco, English Paper and Bags, German Pipes, Furniture, Safes, Strong Boxes, and other Goods.

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IN GILT, MARBLE & BRONZE,

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$200 REWARD

WILL be paid for the arrest and conviction of ROBERT BYRNE, who robbed the Safe of the Colonial Hotel on Sunday morning, the 25th inst., of $850 in Gold Coin and Bank of British Columbia and Bank of British North America Notes.

Byrne is about five feet nine inches high, dark complexion, black eyes, dark hair and moustache, and had on, when last seen, a black cloth suit.

EDEN WHITE.
Victoria, B. C., April 25, 1869. ap27

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LUMLEY FRANKLIN,
Auctioneer and Land Agent,
ap27 Yates Street.

New Advertisements.

Dry Goods & Clothing.

FINDLAY & DURHAM

Offer for Sale, ex "Prince of Wales" and "Cecrops,"

AT LOWEST MARKET RATES,

Printed Cottons—New and choice patterns,
Grey Calicos—30, 32, 36, & 72 inches wide,
White do—30, 33, & 36 inch, at various prices,
Horrock's White Long Cloths, 32, & 36 inches wide,
GREY DRILLING,
Shawls and Balmoral Skirts,
PLAIDS—Coburgs, Alpaccas, and Merinos,
Tweed and Pilot Pants and Coats, for Indian Trade,
Cloth Caps and Hats, for do do
Heavy Corduroy, Moleskin, and Tweed Pants, for Miners.
CRIMEAN SHIRTS, Serge Shirts, and Cotton Shirts,
Collars, Handkerchiefs, Ties, Scarfs, &c.
Hosiery & Underclothing—Woollen and Cotton,
Duck Pants—Denim Overalls and Jumpers,
BLANKETS—2½, 3, & 4 point, all colors,
Haberdashery Goods—A complete assortment.

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FOR YALE.

THE Steamers Onward and Lillooet will make regular trips to Yale, leaving New Westminster on Wednesdays and Saturdays.

Freight, $12 per ton.
Passage, $7.

N. B.—The above steamers will not be responsible for leakage of Liquids, shipped in tins or glass. ap13

NOLTEMEIER BROS.,

IMPORTERS & DEALERS IN

BOOTS AND SHOES,

KEEP constantly on hand a complete assortment of goods in their line, and soon expect, direct, from Europe, a large invoice of BOOTS AND SHOES, and will sell them at reasonable prices

FOR CASH.

Observe the place, the Brick Building, adjoining the St. Nicholas Hotel, Government street, Victoria.

JOHN GOODACRE,

BUTCHER,

ORIENTAL MARKET.

FORT STREET, NEAR BLANCHARD, VICTORIA, B. C.

DEALER IN

MEATS

OF THE BEST DESCRIPTION.

HAMS, BACON & SPICED BEEF.

Meat supplied on the most reasonable terms, and forwarded to any part of the town FREE OF CHARGE.

SHIPPING SUPPLIED.
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VICTORIA MARKET,

Corner of Johnson & Waddington Streets.

EVERY DESCRIPTION OF FRESH MEAT, of the best quality, constantly on hand,

Also, a fine assortment of

Sugar-Cured Hams, Breakfast Bacon and Smoked Tongues, &c.

Of our own Curing this Season, great care having been taken to make them the best in the Market.

Also, a daily supply of FRESH VEGETABLES.

JOHN MURRAY.
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PAPER HANGINGS. PAPER HANGINGS.

10,000 ROLLS.

JUST received per "Cecrops" by the undersigned, a large assortment of Wall Paper, English, French and American patterns, expressly selected for him, comprising many new and choice designs, which he offers by the Case or Roll at 10 cents per Roll and upwards.

E. HARRISON

(LATE J. BANKS & Co.)

DEALER IN

Paints, Oils, Window Glass, Varnishes, Gold Mouldings, &c.

Yates Street,
VICTORIA B. C.
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Clean Your Chimneys!

BENJAMIN WAKEFIELD begs to inform the public of Victoria that, having had many years experience in sweeping and cleaning Chimneys, and preventing their smoking, he is prepared to execute all orders in that line, general work included.

Orders left at Fell & Co.'s store on Fort Street, or at 3d house East of Bavaria Brewery, will be promptly attended to.
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LANGLEY STREET

STEAM SASH, DOOR AND MOULDING

FACTORY.

HAYWARD & JENKINSON,

Contractors and Builders,

HAVING adapted Machinery to all Branches of this trade, are prepared to execute work intrusted to their care with promptitude, at prices to suit the times.

DOORS, SASHES & MOULDINGS always on hand.

H. & J., having added the

UNDERTAKING

Business to the above, are prepared to carry out all orders in the City or country, with immediate attention, quietude and economy.
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JANION, RHODES & CO.,

HAVE on hand a large Stock of superior Wines and Spirits, which they offer for sale low, in Bond or Duty paid.

BRANDY.

In Quarter Casks:—Hennessey, Otard, and Renault.

In Cases:—Renault, Otard, and Martell.

RUM.

Superior Old Jamaica:—in Quarter Casks and Hhds.

Demarara:—High Proof.

IRISH WHISKEY.

In Quarter Casks and Cases.

SCOTCH WHISKEY.

In Quarter Casks and Cases.

HOLLANDS GIN.

In Pipes and Half Pipes; in Red and Green Cases.

SHERRY.

Of Superior Quality, in Casks and Cases.

PORT.

Of Superior Quality, in Casks and Cases.

BASS' PALE ALE.

Bottled by Blood, Wolfe, & Co.;—a very superior article.

Younger's Celebrated India Pale Ale.

IND, COOPE & CO'S

India Pale Ale.

DUBLIN XXX STOUT

Bottled by Blood, Wolfe & Co.

BARCLAY'S STOUT PORTER.

Bottled by Saunders & Cameron.

ap16 JANION, RHODES & Co.

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE.

PORT OF VICTORIA, BRITISH COLUMBIA.

ENTERED.

April 28.—none.

CLEARED.

April 28.—Str. W. G. Hunt, Waitt, Port Townsend.
" Slp. Ringleader, Bradley, Saanich
" Str. Gussie Telfair, Dall, Astoria.
" Bark Cecrops, Wildfang, Valparaiso.

AUCTION SALE THIS DAY.

LUMLEY FRANKLIN—Yates Street—will hold his weekly sale, at 11 a.m. at Salesroom.

The British Columbian.

THURSDAY, APRIL 29, 1869.

ILLEGAL TRAFFIC.—Peter McCormack, who lives on Fisguard street, was detected, on Friday last, in selling lager beer to a couple of Barclay Sound damsels, bearing respectively the names of Kitty and Susan. The police had for some time suspected the traffic in which McCormack was engaged, but so slyly did he conduct the business, that they could not detect him by any ordinary means. Kitty and Susan, however, afforded the evidence sought, by suffering themselves to be caught by a couple of the bright-buttoned gentlemen, who employ themselves in minding other people's business, in the act of bringing away from Peter's house a tin pail full of the contraband. Peter, learning the fact, guarded himself against arrest by keeping within his "castle." A summons was, therefore issued, which failed to bring any response from the culprit, and he was tried *ex parte* before Mr. Pemberton, yesterday. Kitty and Susan gave positive testimony as to Peter having given them the beer, for which they potlached "sitkum" dollar. The witnesses protested most solemnly that they did not want the beer for their own use, but to treat some friends who had paid them a visit. The Court considered the evidence very clear, and a fine of $150 was imposed, to be levied by distress.

YALE.—The *Examiner* of Monday is to hand Large quantities of goods were being forwarded on to Cariboo. On Saturday alone, five teams started out, with an aggregate freight of 40,000 lbs. Our contemporary notices the promulgation of a notice, to the effect that "all goods forwarded from Lytton, by the Fraser, to Alexandria, will be chargeable with Road Tolls, and the same will be strictly enforced." According to the same authority, there are now about 3,000 head of cattle on the Lower Fraser. Our contemporary, in an able leading article, arrives at the very sensible conclusion that Responsible Government is a *sine qua non* to prosperity and contentment. The article concludes, as follows:—"That this Colony is prepared to undertake the responsibilities of managing its own affairs, having all the elements within itself to successfully carry it on is undisputed; the colonists are no degenerate sons of Mother England. If the old world sink into dotage; if the aged English mother should languish like the Mediterranean queens, political freedom must be here. Our public servants must be amenable to the people, whose power alone ought to create them."

BREACH OF PROMISE ACTION EXTRAORDINARY.—We find in our English exchanges an account of an action for breach of promise brought at the Aylesbury Assizes. The case was chiefly remarkable from the fact that the plaintiff in the case belonged to the sterner sex, and the fact that the one was a widower of 65 and the other a widow of 55. The jury found for the plaintiff, in £300, damages! Another extordinary trial for breach of promise was recently brought to a close in the United States. The plaintiff was Mary Ferguson, a milliner; the defendant was one Bradshaw, claiming to be a descendent of the English regicide of that name. The plea urged by the defendent for the non-fulfilment of his promise was the plaintiff's being of African descent. The trial lasted a whole week, and ended in a verdict for the plaintiff: damages $10,000.

FROM NEW WESTMINSTER.—The str. Enterprise, Capt. Swanson, returned from New Westminster yesterday, bringing a number of prssengers, amongst whom were Mr. Bates, of Deep Creek, Capt. Irving, and Mr. Franklin, of New Westminster. There was no Cariboo Express or mails. The news from the Lower Fraser is uninteresting. Capt. Irving had laid up the Onward, as the Lillooet will be abundantly able to do all the business for the remainder of the season. The water in the Fraser is now at a very favourable stage for steamboating to Yale.

THE SAANICH ROAD.—We learn that work has at last been commenced on this road, under the direction of the Chief Commissioner. A working party started in the neighbourhood of Mr. Finlayson's, on Tuesday.

NOW OR NEVER.—Those who wish to obtain female servants from England, under the Government assisted scheme, will do well to remember that applications must be sent in to the Board on or before Saturday next.

FOR THE SOUND.—The steamers W. G. Hunt and Eliza Anderson sailed for Olympia and way ports on the Sound, yesterday, at 12 o'clock noon.

THE MAY DAY EXCURSION.—The excursion, arranged to take place on Saturday, under the auspices of the Mechanics' Institute, promises to be quite an affair. We understand that the day will be very generally observed as a holiday. The principal stores will be closed, so that the ladies would act wisely in doing their shopping to-morrow. It is Captain Swanson's intention to leave for New Westminster this evening, returning to-morrow, so as to be in time for the excursion. We are not aware what peculiar attractions Peddar Bay may possess; but it would appear to have this much in its favour, that the public generally know nothing about it, and what scenery there is will therefore be new to them. It is intended to land at Esquimalt on the return, and have a dance in the Hudson Bay Co's new warehouse.

RETURN OF THE ORIFLAMME.—This steamer returned from Puget Sound, arriving at Esquimalt at 6:15 last evening. Mr. Holladay and many of his party came up to town. She leaves for Nanaimo at 3 o'clock this morning, where she will coal, returning to Esquimalt probably to-morrow, or early on Saturday, when the whole party will embark for Portland and San Francisco. Mr. Holladay will, we believe, remain here until the steamer returns from Nanaimo. The party visited Olympia, Port Townsend, and intermediate places on Puget Sound.

BOUND OVER.—William Baker, a young man, was brought before the Police Court yesterday, on a charge of assault upon the person of George Deans, on Tuesday, on the Mount Tolmie road. The assault arose out of a dispute in reference to a land title. No fine or penalty was exacted by the Magistrate further than to bind the accused to keep the peace for six months in the sum of 100 dollars and two surities in the sum of $50 each.

COLONIAE HOTEL ROBBERY.—Nothing has been heard respecting the man Byrne's (not Burns, as stated by our contemporaries) whereabouts. It is believed, however, that information has been obtained which may lead to the unearthing of some of his accomplices, now in town.

STREET IMPROVEMENT.—The public will no doubt be pleased to learn that the Municipal Council has given contracts for grading Pandora, and Douglas Streets, for reparing Cormorant Street and Dallas road. Mr. Geo. Stelly, has taken the contracts for Pandora, Douglas and Dallas, and Messrs. Strong and Bond, the contract for Comorant Street.

QUICK TIME.—The Oriflamme made the distance from Olympia to Esquimalt harbour, yesterday, in 11 hours, running time. She left Olympia at a quarter to six, made Seattle in 3½ hours, 60 miles. She stopped half an hour at Port Townsend and arrived at Esquimalt at a quarter past six P. M. The whole distance is 140 miles.

PARIS FASHIONS FOR 1869.—These may now be seen in perfection at "London House," Government street, the last Express having brought one of the very choisest invoices of Drapery, Silk Mersery and Fancy Dry Goods that has yet been opened in Victoria. *

AUCTION SALE.—Mr. Lumley Franklin will hold his regular weekly sail, at his Salesroom, to-day, when will be offered to the public, a fine assortment of day goods clothing groceries, hats, porter, liqnors, tobacco, &c., &., soap, candles &c. &c.

THE NEXT STEAMER.—The steamer Active was to sail from San Francisco for this port direct on Tuesday, and may be expected to arrive here on Saturday. The British Columbia Cricketers came up by her.

REDUCTION.—In future, T. N. Hibben & Co., will sell all English newspapers at 25 cents instead of 37½ cents, as heretofore. Also the four English Reviews and Blackwood's Magazine, will be furnished to subscribers for $14 per annum. *

FOR PORTLAND.—The Gussie Telfair. Capt Dall, sailed for Portland yesterday at 11 o'clock a. m. Mr. Watson, inspector of the Bank of British Columbia, was amongst the passengers.

IMPOSSIBLE.—It is impossible that H. M. S. Chanticleer could have been wrecked off the coast of Zanzibar, in February, as that vessel was in Esquimalt harbour on the 1st of March!

SCOTCH HOUSE.—A McLean & Co. are just opening a fine assortment of Summer hats, and clothing received, by last express. *

DOWN AGAIN.—The telegraph line was down last night, so that we were unable to obtain our usual telegraphic report.

FOR SAN FRANCISCO.—The Oriflamme is expected to sail for San Francisco via Portland on Saturday afternoon.

FOR BURRARD INLET.—The Emily Harris Capt. Frain, sailed for Burrard's Inlet yesterday morning at 9 o'clock.

AT THE ST. GEORGE.—Mr. Ben Holladay and his son are staying at the St. George. The remainder of the guests have gone to Nanaimo.

CALIFORNIA LETTER.

MR. EDITOR.—We beg to present you with the first "occasional letter" according to promise; for we make a point of keeping our word in small things as well as those of importance, that thus punctuality may become habitual, but; "Victorians can't s e it" or perhaps wont. If fashion were not a feeder of multitudes, who by various branches of industry minister to its cravings, it would be intolerable; yet a detail of it is something like a tale of scandal, generally acceptable to the ladies, though they may feel themselves individually guilty of the follies of the one or not entirely free fromt the inuendoes of the other. Although we have heard of the arrival, in your quiet town of one pretender to fashion, represented as looking like something between an erect dromedary and a giraffe, or a Hottentot with the one very prominent feature, we shall nevertheless, as a newspaper, to succeed, must not forget the ladies, give you an account of the fashions of this place. They say extremes meet, meaning contrary ones, but here the extremities of the ladies, both present an appearance equally ridiculous. The waterfall has given way to the water-wheel and its concomitants, a *tachace* of hair running down the back, and masses of it frizzled out so as to resemble, (we prest me) spray, and as Shakespeare says, the bonnet looks "like a small trencher (turned upside down) placed on the top of the head. The feet continue to be tortured in exceedingly high, pointed-heeled gaiters, giving the foot an altogether unnatural pose, which must necessarily be injurious to it. But between these two extremes of fashion, is another, which throws both into the shade; we remember distinctly having seen donkeys carrying "paniers," but here they are borne by human she-asses! Nothing can be more preposterous than the bundles of rags festooned and furbelowed round a portion of ladies' dresses, aping the still more ridiculous (if possible) Grecian bend, in which they (for a wonder) are ashamed to appear. A young bride, recently arrived from the Atlantic States, appears with a dirty sand colored wig, called "ox-tail," she ought to be called ox-tail Sup., for it makes her look like one of a minor theatre. If the ladies are sometimes accused of being *decollettees* in their dress, I am sure some of the men may, with equal reason, be called *decultes* in theirs. If there are, however some *genuine* "busters" among them, there is any number of *false* "busters" among the ladies, who sail through the streets like so many filibusters under false colours and everything else that is false, required to create admiration, and calculated to lure poor silly men into their meshes. But to ascend from the ridiculous to the serious, the same bad taste seems to pervade most institutions: gaudy display is the order of the day in the churches, where, to suit the various tastes, you have fanatics, drones, mountebanks, political bullies, and clerical harlequins; in short, everything but true devotion. In the theatrical department, there is a morbid taste for minstrelsy and its nonsensical accompaniments, and the most vulgar, low comedian is admired beyond all the actors. It follows, as a matter of course, that where taste is bad in public matters, it cannot be expected to be much better in private ones, and here we find the gaudy and the shewy as predominant in furniture as it is in the female attire. The White Pine fever is raging furiously, and though it will no doubt make some victims, we are confident that thousands of valuable citizens will become acclimated by it, and the State be the gainer as it has been on the occasion of every similar fever. The Cariboo fever is, I fear, a hopeless case, for a season at least. We do not think the remedies proposed by Drs. Stamp, Lenevue, Adair & Co., calculated to improve the condition of the patient.

A FRIEND OF THE COLONY.

A GREAT EFFORT OF A GREAT MAN

Gladstone's speech, in introducing the Bill for the disestablishment of the Irish Church, in the House of Commons, on the 1st March, delivered a speech which occupies thirteen and a half close columns in the London *Dispatch*! That paper in describing the appearance presented by the House on that interesting occasion, says. "At the time both floor and galleries of the House were crowded in every part, and the great advantage of throwing the seats under the speaker's gallery into the middle of the House became at once manifest on this the first occasion the Hous has been crowed to the utmost extent this session. The peer's gallery above, at the time the right hon. gentleman rose, was crowded with prelates, peers, ambassadors, and distinguished strangers; and it is needless to say that every available seat, both in Speaker's and in the Strangers' Gallery, was occupied. The Archbishop of Canterbury was seated nearly over the clock, and observed the proceedings with evident interest. Altogether, the appearance of the House at this moment was very brilliant, and the effect was heightened by the general air of expectancy and excitement which prevailed." After leave to introduce the Bill had been given, and the Speaker had resumed the Chair. Gladstone rose and said. "I am authorised by her Majesty to place at the disposal of Parliament her Majesty's interest in the archbishoprics, bishoprics, other dignities and benefices in Ireland."

STAGE LINE.—The stage line from Portland to Sacramento runs all the way through now in five and a-half days. The service by steamer from Portland to Oregon City has ceased for the summer season. The Sunday morning boat to Oregon will probably cease also.

New Advertisements.

E. B. MARVIN.

SHIP CHANDLER AND SAIL MAKER.

DEALER IN

Manilla and Hemp Cordage, Tar, Pitch, Oakum, Paints, Oils, Canvas, etc.

WHARF STREET.

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THE VALUE OF ADVERTISING.

A. H. FRANCIS,

Has removed three doors above his old stand on Fort Street, two doors from Douglas street, where his friends and customers will find him always ready to accommodate them with the needful. Having made arrangements to keep a constant supply of

FIour,
Grain,
Bacon,
Lard,
Butter.
Fruit,
Groceries,

&c., &c

I flatter myself that purchasers will find it to their advantage to give me a call.

☞Grain, Flour, &c., at Wharf prices.

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DUCK & SANDOVER,

Carriage and Waggon MANUFACTURERS,

GOVERNMENT STREET, West side, [bet. Johnson and Comorant sts.

ARE PREPARED TO EXECUTE ORders for every description of the above work with dispatch, and will ensue durability and style equal to any manufactory in the Colony.

They are also prepared to

SHOE HORSES

And do general

BLACKSMITHING AND REPAIRING

AT CHEAP RATES. ma16

THE FAVORITE STEAMER



WILSON G. HUNT,

W. J. WAITT, MASTER,

LEAVES Victoria for Olympia and other ports on Puget Sound, every

THURSDAY MORNING,

AT 5 O'CLOCK.

This Steamer possesses very superior accommodation. For Freight or Passage, apply on board.

Passengers for Oregon, via Olympia, will be ticketed through from the latter place to Portland for $11.

J. MYRICK,
Agent Oregon Steam Nav. Co.
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FRANKLYN RESTAURANT,
Victoria V. I.

CHARLES FORD,

RESPECTFULLY informs his Friends and the Public that the above place will be conducted by himself, and that particular attention will be paid to cleanliness and good order.

Corner Government and Cormorant St's.

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JOHN WEILER

FORT STREET, NEAR BROAD,

HAS always on hand, and makes to order

SPRING,
HAIR,
WOOL,
PULU, and
STRAW,

Matresses, Lounges, &c.

Also on hand

6000 Rolls English Wall Paper, Long Rolls, from 10 cts. upwards.

Wall-Paper, Carpets, Brass and Mahogony Window Poles, Window-blinds,

And a variety of

UPHOLSTERY GOODS.

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Corporation of the City of Victoria.

"ROAD ORDINANCE, 1869."

NOTICE is hereby given that the list of Persons liable to pay Road Tax within the Victoria City Road District, under the provisions of the "Road Ordinance, 1869," is open for Inspection at the Town Clerk's Office Broad Street, between the hours of 10 o'clock a. m. and 4 o'clock p. m.

WM. LEIGH, Collector.
City Council Chambers, April 15th, 1869.

New Advertisments.

FURNITURE, SALE.

J. P. DAVIES & CO.

will sell at Salesrooms,

Monday, May 3rd.,

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.

10 Gunnies Bacon.

8 Cases Tomatoes.

Lot Household Furniture

Chairs, Tables, Bureaus, Bedsteads, Beds, Bedding, Blinds, Curtains, Cornices, Crockery, Glassware, Table Cutlery, Spoons, Cruets, Carpets, Rugs, Tea Sets, Door Mats, Lamps, Cruet Stands, Clocks, Spittoons, Watches.

Cooking and Office STOVES,

1 Case Looking Glasses,
Etc. Etc., Etc.

ap23 J. P. DAVIES, Auctioneer

IN BANKRUPTCY.

In the matter of Wm. Lyons, Bankrupt.

HIS Lordship the Chief Justice of Vancouver Island has appointed the FIRST MEETING of Creditors of this Bankrupt to take place at the Registrar's Office, Supreme Court, on Wednesday, the 5th day of May next, at Eleven o'clock in the forenoon, when and where Creditors must attend and prove their debts, and proceed to the choice of a Trade Assignee.

W. S. SEBRIGHT GREEN,
Solicitor to petitioning Creditor.
Broughton street, April 22d, 1869. ap23

ASSISTED
Female Immigration.

FAMILIES desirous of obtaining Female Servants from England under the Government Grant, are requested to send their applications addressed to "The Immigration Board," Post Office, Victoria, on or before the 1st May next.

In the present early stage of the movement only a limited number can be procured.

The whole expense of bringing out a servant is estimated at $175; of which the Government will pay a part, and the applicant the balance, viz.:—by two approved Promissory Notes of $50 each, one payable on demand, on receipt of information here of the sailing of the ship, and the other to be paid on demand, on arrival of the ship.

It is proposed to pay to each person, wages at the rate of from $10 to $12 a month, $50 of that portion of the passage money advanced by the applicant to be repaid by instalments out of the wages of the Female Servant, who will be bound for two years.

Persons desirous of getting their friends in England to select their servants for them, instead of the Committee, in England, can do so under the arrangements of the Board.

Printed forms of application may be obtained at Messrs. Hibben & Co., and the Post Office, Victoria, and at the various Post Offices on the Mainland.

The Board of Immigration will be happy to further the wishes of persons in the Colony who may be desirous of taking advantage of the opportunity thus afforded of bringing out relatives at their own expense.

By order of the Board,
HENRY S. MASON,
Victoria, April 13, 1869. Hon. Secretary.

NESBIT'S
CRACKER BAKERY,

ESTABLISHED IN 1860.

Navy Bread,
Pilot Bread,
Cabin Biscuit,
Soda Crackers,
Sugar Crackers,
Butter Crackers.

And every description of Buiscuit supplied,

WHOLESALE AND RETAIL,

at the shortest notice.

YATES STREET, VICTORIA, B. C.

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BUYERS
IS CALLED TO
THE WELL ASSORTED STOCK OF
TOBACCO, HAVANA CIGARS,
MEERSCHAUM
AND OTHER PIPES,
MATCHES, PLAYING CARDS,
ETC., ETC., ETC.
.....OF.....
L. & J. BOSCOWITZ,
YATES STREET,

All of which are offered at COST, they post every being about to close Business. ap25

New Advertisements.

J. P. DAVIES & CO,

AUCTIONEERS AND COMMISSION MERCHANTS,

Salesroom — Fireproof Stone Building, Wharf Street, near Yates.

CASH ADVANCES MADE ON CONSIGNMENTS.

FURNITURE SALE.

J. P. DAVIES & Co., have received instructions to sell at the residence of A. F. MAIN, Esq., Pandora Street, opposite the American Consul's,

Friday, April 30th.,

AT 11 O'CLOCK, A. M.,

SUPERIOR HOUSEHOLD FURNITURE,

Comprising in part:—

One square Piano, by Stodart.
Music Stool, Canterbury.
Mirror, Marble top, and other Tables.
Settees, What-nots.
Carpets and Hearth Rugs.
Fenders and Irons.
Cornices and Blinds.
Lamp, Hat Stand, Floor cloth.
Extension Table, Sideboard.
Glassware, Chairs, Secretary.
Mahogany Bedsteads, Spring Mattrasses.
Bureaus, Washstands, & Towel racks.
Wardrobes, Book Shelves.
Plated ware, China Breakfast Sets.
Clocks.
A Child's Carriage, Cot, Cradle and Chairs.
Books:—Blackwood's Magazines, &c., North British Quarterly, Edinburg and Westminster Reviews.
3 pair Venetian Shutters.
Knife Cleaning Machine, Meat Safe.
Garden Implements, Tools.

Kitchen Furniture, Etc., Etc., Etc.

TERMS CASH.—Goods must be paid for and taken away on day of Sale.

ap27 J. P. DAVIES, Auctioneer.

CATTLE SALE.

J. P. DAVIES & Co.

will sell at the Cattle Sale Yard,

Saturday, May 1st.,

AT 12 O'CLOCK, NOON,

5 Fine Milch Cows,
1 Durham Cow and Calf,
1 Fine American Mare in Foal,
8 Store Pigs;
1 Breeding Sow,
1 Well Bred Bull,
1 Horse, a useful animal, has been to Cariboo three times

.....ALSO.....

1 Saddle Poney,

The well-known sorel Gelding, "DICK," works well in single or double harness, and is a first class saddle horse, one of the fastest trotters on the Island.

1 Saddle, Bridle, Whips, Spurs.
1 Suit Horse Clothing.

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PACIFIC TELEGRAPH HOTEL,

Store Street, bet. Herald & Fisguard,

VICTORIA, V. I.

Andrew Astrico

RESPECTFULLY informs his friends and the travelling public that the above Hotel is the MOST COMMODIOUS and CLEANEST HOTEL in Victoria. It is conducted on the European principle, and the table is supplied with the very best the market affords.

A RESTAURANT

being attached to the premises, MEALS can be had at all hours of the day. Private Dining Rooms for families.

The rates of charges are as follows:

Board and Lodging per week	$5 to $6 50
" " " per day	1
Single Meals	37½
Beds	50

Terms.....Cash in Advance.

☞A Fire-proof Safe in the House.

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New Advertisements.

ESTABLISHED A. D. 1858.

WILLIAM NEWBURY,

(SUCCESSOR TO JOHN MARTIN.)

SADDLE, COLLAR, HARNESS, TRUNK AND VALISE

MANUFACTURER,

COLONIST BUILDING, GOVERNMENT STREET, VICTORIA, B.

THANKS his numerous Patrons for their liberal support, and assures them that it will be his constant study to merit a continuance of their favors.

W. N. calls attention to his present stock of

Carriage, Concord, Buggy, Light and Heavy

HARNESS,

Which for Style and Durability is unequalled on this coast, and he having a thorough knowledge of the business in its various branches, and employing none but first class tradesmen in the departments, is a sufficient guarantee that all orders will be attended to promptly and completed in the best style of workmanship, and at the lowest possible prices.

Ladies' and Gentlemen's Riding Whips "by late arrivals."
Horse Clothing in Stock and made to order.
Carriage Trimming and repairing done on the shortest notice.
☞ The Trade supplied on advantageous terms.

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THE SEED STORE, YATES STREET.

VICTORIA, V. I.

JAY & BALES

offer for sale the finest assortment of

GRASSES, CLOVERS, and other FIELD and GARDEN SEEDS on the Pacific Coast.

.....ALSO.....

Fruit Trees and Bushes, Evergreen and other Shrubs, Flowering Plants for the house and garden, and every other kind of NURSERY STOCK, at low prices.

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A. BULER & CO.

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